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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form
Application No.: 10/765,061 First Named Applicant: Lee
Examiner: M. Riley Art Unit: 2625 Status of Application: Non-Final
Tentative Participants: (1) Examiner M. Riley (2) Examiner D. Moore (3) Joe Brennan (4) Aaron Poledna Proposed Date of Interview: 6/4/2009 Proposed Time: 1:00 PM ET AM/PM
Type of Interview: Requested: (1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: YES NO If yes, provide brief description:
Issues To Be Discussed.
Issues Claims/ Prior Discussed Agreed Not Agreed (Rej., Obj., etc) Fig. #s Art
(1) 102(b) 31 Koga
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Continuation Sheet Attached
Brief Description of Argument to be Presented: Claim 31 includes as features, identifying image and text based upon area background colors. Koga does not teach or
suggest these features, for at least the reason that Koga describes discriminating between character and image data
after having removed the background colors from image segments.
An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01). This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this
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Applicant's Representative Signature Joe Brennan Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative 62,403 Examiner/SPE Signature Examiner/SPE Signature Examiner/SPE Signature
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